

North Dakota Parks & Recreation Department

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“Great Outdoors Month” in North Dakota

In recognition of the importance the outdoors have on the lives of North Dakotans, Governor Jack Dalrymple proclaims June as “Great Outdoors Month” in the state. Lieutenant Governor Drew Wrigley will take part in a June 3 event, recognizing the significance of the designation and invite the state’s residents to visit North Dakota State Parks in 2013 and enjoy all the recreational opportunities the state offers.

Wrigley and North Dakota Parks and Recreation Director Mark Zimmerman will address the importance of outdoor activity during a news conference being held on the patio west of the North Dakota Heritage Center, starting at 2 p.m.

A variety of events and activities are planned throughout the month at North Dakota’s 13 state parks. For more information on what’s happening in North Dakota State Parks during the month of June go to the NDPRD website at www.parkrec.nd.gov.

“We thank the Governor for proclaiming June ‘Great Outdoors Month,’” says NDPRD Director Mark Zimmerman. “And we’re excited that Lieutenant Governor Wrigley is taking the time to help promote ‘Great Outdoors Month.’”

To learn more about North Dakota State Parks and what they have to offer check the North Dakota Parks and Recreation Department website at www.parkrec.nd.gov. NDPRD news and updates are also posted on Facebook at www.facebook.com/ndprd.